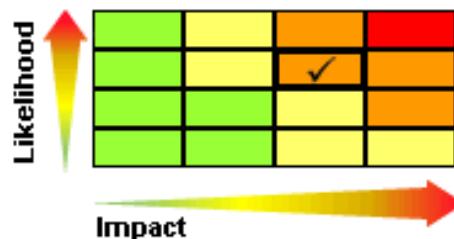
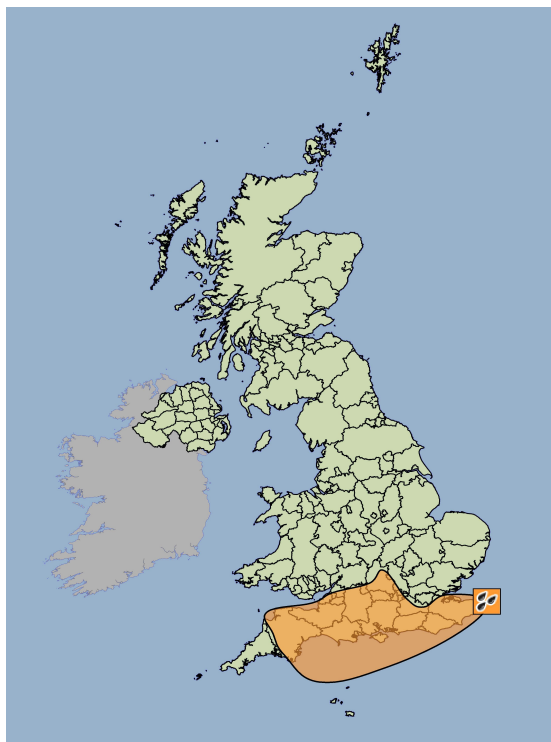




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

An area of low pressure and its associated frontal system gave some 15-30 mm of rain on Thursday night across many southern areas. This has led to further flooding in places.

A further Atlantic frontal system will bring a band of rain quickly eastwards during Friday night and early Saturday, with the heaviest rain again likely to be across parts of southern England, followed in turn by heavy showers. Another 10-20 mm of rain (and perhaps locally 30 mm on high ground) will fall in the Amber area, leading to further flooding. Winds will also be a feature during Friday night and Saturday with severe gales possible around coasts in the south and southwest of England.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning of Rain**

Valid from **20:00 on Fri, 07th Feb 2014** until **06:00 on Sat, 08th Feb 2014**

Following the heavy rain that occurred on Thursday night another band of rain, heavy at times, accompanied by coastal gales will affect southwest England during Friday evening, moving quickly east across other southern areas early on Saturday. The rain will clear the extreme southeast of England on Saturday morning, to be followed by frequent heavy and squally showers.

The public should be prepared for disruption due to flooding.

This is an update to the warning first issued on Wednesday. The end time of the warning has been brought forward since the heaviest of the rain is expected to clear though on Saturday morning. A yellow warning will remain in force through Saturday across the south to cater for further heavy showers.

For more details please go to:

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